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The **EVENING DEMOCRAT.**

"I would earnestly advise them for their good to order this paper to be punctually served up and to be looked upon as a part of the tea equipage."—ADDISON.

CIRCULATION.

There are more Sedalia people regular readers of the **EVENING DEMOCRAT** than any other paper.

Two more hold-ups last night. It is only a question of time when the foot-pads will tackle a man who is handy with a gun.

SEDALIA should not lose a day in raising the railroad fund that has been asked for by the gentlemen at the head of the enterprise.

SENATOR VEST can introduce his free silver coinage bill with every prospect of success, now that the democrats have again come to their own.

THE Sedalia highwaymen do their work in a quiet, business-like way that indicates the professional. There is probably a gang working the city just now.

GEN. BEAUREGARD testifies that the first gun of the late civil war was fired by Capt. George A. James, who commanded an artillery company at Fort Johnson.

If the democratic party is going to reform the tariff the sooner the good work is commenced the greater will be the good accomplished by the beginning of the next campaign.

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deficit in the treasury is probable and the payment of salaries likely to be temporarily discontinued, all differences will be buried and the chorus will go up from all throats, "Let the extra session be held and the country saved."

OUR esteemed mugwump friends are correct when they say that the democratic party is not organized for the spoils. Having fought a battle, however, and won a victory, they are entitled to man the breast-works with their own men. A wise general will not leave the soldiers whom he has just defeated in battle to guard the camp.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

The leading democrats of this county are urging Hon. George F. Longan to become a candidate for the office of United States district attorney for the western district of Missouri.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Longan will consent to become an applicant. His experience at the bar, and particularly as a prosecutor, eminently fits him to discharge the duties of the office.

His friends claim that he has demonstrated that he is unquestionably the strongest man before the people in this county, and has almost a like strength through his wide acquaintance over the entire state.

It is true that the democracy has always called upon him to lead a forlorn hope. When all others hesitated and dared not to enter the lists against a reputed invincible candidate for the legislature, he answered the appeal of his party, and against an adverse majority he carried, at the head of the ticket, its banner in triumph over the enemy's lines.

Again, after the chosen champions of the democracy had twice gone down before the strongest and the hitherto unconquerable leader of the republican party in this county and section, the democracy renewed its call upon him to take the standard in his hand. He consented to stand for prosecuting attorney and then followed the most desperate political battle ever waged in Pettis county. On presidential electors the county went republican but his opponent, victor theretofore in a series of unbroken successes, was compelled to acknowledge a crushing defeat.

The democracy of Pettis, in the event of his candidacy, will be a unit in support of Mr. Longan.

He is a democrat, intense, fervent and from conviction. He is in every respect capable and qualified, and honest, honorable and high-minded. But above all, his friends will rally to him for those other qualities which bind friends with hooks of steel.

Charitable and generous to a foe, with a heart full of sympathy for those who need it, always self-sacrificing for others, utterly without simulation or deceit, and without a spark of envy or jealousy for his competitors in the race of life, and rejoicing ever in the success of his friends, he will command a following, should he aspire to this position, that no man can surpass, and of which any man should indeed be proud.

MR. CLAUD MITCHUM, of Dresden, is in town to-day. He is a candidate for the office of deputy revenue collector.—*Warrensburg Star.*

Claud is one of the **EVENING DEMOCRAT's** affidavit fellows, and should by all means be provided with an office. Were it not for the fact that Dick Dalton has been suggested for secretary of agriculture, we think it would be nothing more than right to give Mr. Mitchum a cabinet position.—*Gazette.*

Talking of affidavits, reminds us of the fact that \$500 was to be paid to the premortuary hospital fund by a wood and iron who had his memory re-elected. The 266,260; Burgess, is it been paid over yet?

Attempt to Wreck
SUNBURY, Pa., Nov. 22.—A fire, and the almost successful attempt was made to wreck a Philadelphia & Reading passenger train above Sunbury. A switch was turned a few minutes before the passenger train arrived at the spot, but fortunately a brakeman discovered it and turned it right.

Great Fire in Peru.
LIMA, Peru, via Galveston, Tex., Nov. 21.—A fire at Buena Ventura destroyed between sixty and seventy buildings, including the courthouse and prison.

West Howe, one of the best known engineers of the Great Northern railway, was burned to death in the Merchants' hotel, at Wilmar, Minn. The hotel was partially destroyed.

er any more than he was an American murderer. In fact, if he had received his just deserts here, he would not have been a British murderer at all and his twelve victims would have escaped. Before he went to England to embark in the wholesale slaughter of his kind he had already been convicted of murder in the state of Illinois. Under the tender-hearted administration of the laws in that state, he was not hanged as he should have been, but sentenced to imprisonment for life—the fate which sentimentalists assure us is infinitely worse than hanging, besides being better for the community. Under a beneficent exercise of the pardoning power, the life prisoner became a free man, and, making his way to England, entered on a career of homicide which was not checked until his unknown victims numbered twelve. There is cause for profound thankfulness in the fact that his latest exploits were performed in a country where the life of a murderer is not held more sacred than that of his innocent victim."

If the **EVENING DEMOCRAT** desires to advertise Mike Doherty's cattle ranch or bank at Green Ridge in the *Gazette* it can do so by calling upon the advertising manager of this paper, who will no doubt give the usual advertising rates.—*Gazette.*

No offense meant, neighbor, we assure you. We only hoped that the new management would be as generous as the old in advertising Mr. Doherty's business enterprises free of charge.

The monetary conference will amount to nothing. It will be dominated by the influence which procured the demonetization of silver, and no recommendation will be made that is not endorsed by the debt holding class of the world. The effort will be to make money as dear as possible.

It is understood that the republicans in Kansas are willing to give the democrats the United States senator provided the democrats will help them take the state printing. The Kansas republican has grown practical since his defeat and is willing to accept the crumbs from the table.

CONGRESSMAN OATES, of Alabama, one of the leading members of congress, is outspoken in favor of an extra session of congress. He believes the democracy should proceed to do what it promised, and relieve the people of the unnecessary and unjust tariff taxation.

St. Louis has had eleven hundred cases of typhoid fever since April 1st, and three hundred during the present month. With this record it would seem that some searching investigation as to the cause would have been made ere this.

WHITELEW REID is responsible for the startling statement that it was socialism that knocked the republicans out. He probably meant communism—the communism of organized wealth, as Cleveland called it, as typified in the McKinley bill.

THE sentiment in favor of a revision of the state constitution is growing. Many enterprising towns and counties feel the restrictions placed upon the people and are eager for such changes as will enable them to push public improvements.

RUN in every suspicious character in town, ye gentlemen of the law, and enforce the laws against vagrants and idlers. It is the idle who are vicious, and it would be a good idea to make Sedalia too hot to hold them.

THE effect of tariff revision will be to break up trusts and diffuse manufacturing by enabling smaller establishments to be built up. Sedalia should begin to lay the foundation for her manufacturing in town lots.

The United States denied a writ of habeas corpus to Cook, a banker of Juneau, Wis., held on a charge of receiving a deposit after he knew the bank was insolvent.

The president has recognized Carlos F. Peralta, the Mexican consul at Nogales, Ariz.; Alberto Lela, Mexican consul at Rio Grande City, Tex.; Alexander Lawrence DeLeland, French consul at San Francisco; and Herman Welton, consul of San Salvador at San Diego, Cal.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Play Last Night.

A well pleased audience watched the thread of humor run merrily through the play of "Uncle Josh Spruceby" at Wood's opera house last night. The play is one that appeals to an audience through its delineation of characters that are met with in every day life. It has several startling departures from the threadbare lines of the conventional play and the work done by "Kid" Kelly and "Brooklyn" Jordan, the two safe blowers, in the second act was extremely realistic, as was also the saw mill, running at full speed, in the third act and in which the heroine came near being torn to pieces. Individually the ladies and gentlemen of the company sustained their parts with credit. The vocal numbers were pleasing and brought forth much applause. The company has a band worthy of special mention.

"Tangled Up."

Will S. Rising, who, with Louis DeLange, is a star in the farce comedy "Tangled Up," which comes to Wood's opera house this evening, has many personal friends in Sedalia, besides the wider circle of well-wishers who have seen his work in "Starlight," "The Little Tycoon," "Said Pasha" and Lotta's company. Rising is something of a linguist and a good deal of an athlete, as well as a good singer and a capable actor. A French farce which he saw in Paris is the basis of the lively piece which he has constructed and named "Tangled Up."

Barlow Brothers Minstrels

Will appear at Woods opera house for a matinee and night engagement on Thursday, Nov. 24. This company numbers over thirty celebrated fun makers, principal of which may be mentioned the acknowledged leader of the comedy firmament, Billy Barlow, that droll and funny fellow who will surely make you laugh; Larry McAvoy in a new specialty; James Barlow will introduce, for the first time here, his latest terpsichorean divertissement comique, "West Point Cadets and Vassar Belles." Arthur La Bourd, England's famous tenor soloist; the Manhattan Quartette; Rummell, Hudson, Starks and West, and Manager Joseph H. Arthur's latest European importations, "Ferry," and the marvelous Leon Brothers. The sale of stags and boxes is now in progress.

American Cholera.

From the Daily Reveille, Whatcom, Wash. "T. C. Burnett, the democratic candidate for sheriff, was taken violently ill at Clearbrook. He had all the symptoms of Asiatic cholera, and for an hour or two it was feared he would die. They finally gave him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which revived him until a physician arrived." That is precisely what the manufacturers of that medicine recommend for cholera. Send for a physician but give their medicine until the physician arrives. If cholera becomes prevalent in this country next summer this preparation will be in great demand because it can always be depended upon. For sale by Aug. Fleischmann, druggist.

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Resolution.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows, to-wit: That we deem and declare it necessary to have Third street from the east line of Hancock street east to east line of Engineer street, except that part of Third street now owned by P. McFarlane and that part of Engineer street now owned by McFarlane and Doble, be sold.

John Kirsch's sawmill boiler exploded.

fatally injuring August Voges, a son of John Kirsch, and that part of Engineer street now owned by McFarlane and Doble, be sold. The explosion occurred at Herrgottseck, seven miles from Red Bud, Ill.

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This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

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Barometer 29.62.
Indications.
Most cold wave signal; temperature will fall about 20 degrees by 8 p. m.**PERSONAL.**

J. C. Thompson is transacting business in St. Louis to-day.

Theodore Shelton, of St. Louis, is visiting friends in the city.

The "Tangled Up" company arrived at noon and are at Siche's.

Miss Mabel Green, of the general offices, at Parsons, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. R. D. Patrick is dangerously ill at her home, No. 111 East Ninth street.

United States Marshal Thos. B. Needles was in the city this morning on his way home to Muskogee, I. T.

Mr. and Mrs. Enlow, of Versailles, are visiting the family of W. M. Barnhart, on East Twelfth street.

Rod. Gallie is very low with erysipelas. Mr. Gallie's many friends trust he will soon be well again.

Ed. Adams, the popular west end fireman, and his sister, Miss Maud, left yesterday afternoon for a several days' visit in Kansas City.

Harry Phillips, one of the popular and courteous clerks at Hotel Kaiser, leaves for Kirksville, this evening to visit his home folks.

David Lister and bride returned yesterday afternoon from St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Lister will commence housekeeping at once at their cosy home on East Fifth street.

Mr. Elmer C. Sattley, of Kansas City, arrived at noon. Mr. Sattley will lead to the altar to-morrow evening one of Sedalia's fairest young ladies, Miss Ida Newkirk.

Dr. T. E. White, assistant state veterinary surgeon, is back from a professional trip to Waco, Texas. Dr. White has been extensively engaged in state work during the past month.

James McHugh, brother of the well-known and popular tailor, Con McHugh, is quite sick at Warrensburg with typhoid fever. His many friends in Sedalia hope to see him immediate recovery.

Mrs. Ira P. Chase, wife of the governor of Indiana, was the guest of Rev. J. S. Myers' family yesterday afternoon, between trains, and left in the evening on a visit to Dallas, Texas, friends.

The countless friends of John Montgomery, jr., will be happy to know that he is in better health than he has been for many years. His rheumatism has disappeared and he is rapidly gaining flesh. There is the old time sparkle in his eye and a clearness to his complexion that speak for themselves. He is spending most of his time in the country eating toasted quail and yellow-legged chickens.

AN OLDER PATENT.**A Land Patent Signed by James Monroe in 1824.**To the Editor of the Democrat:
In your issue of yesterday, under the heading signed by "Zachary Taylor," you mentioned a patent to certain lands signed by President Taylor August 1st, 1849, on certificate No. 28,553.

I herewith present for your inspection the original patent to the southeast quarter of section 21, township 49, range 21, of date of September 1st, 1824, and signed by President James Monroe in person, and attested by Geo. Graham, commissioner of the general land office. This patent grants to Robert Wallace and George C. Hart, assignees of Sterling Nuckles, Wm. S. Edwards and Andrew Haley, who entered this land at Old Franklin in Howard county, on January 6th, 1819. This old patent was delivered by Wallace and Hart to Nathan Harris on May 13th, 1835, when they conveyed by deed said land to Harris, and was delivered to me on November 5th, 1891, by

my old friend, D. Smith Merry, now of Oklahoma, and a son-in-law of Harris. On this land are located the celebrated Blue Lick Springs, where extensive salt works were operated from 1820 to 1840.

A good portion of the western frontier and several government posts were supplied with salt from these works.

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HENRY STROTHER.
The springs above referred to are located twenty-three miles north of this city and on the line of the proposed north and south railroad, and are now a favorite resort for those who are acquainted with their value.**Police Court.**
There were a number of drunks and trespassers arraigned this morning. Four traveling men were pulled last night for getting too hilarious.**Patronize the liquor house at 112 Osage street, Frank Krueger.**

Three unfurnished rooms for rent at 1300 East Third street.

Sent to Jail.
Fred Julius, aged 15 years, was arrested this morning by Constable Jim Gossage at the woolen mills for cutting in the shoulder a boy named Thos. Atkins on the 19th of this month.

Justice Fisher fined him \$5 and costs. He went to jail.

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Marriage License.
A marriage license has been granted to Joseph G. Norton and Mary Etta Woods, both of Pettis.**"Housekeeper's Friend"—The world renowned Charter Oak stoves. Sold only by J. W. Houx, West Main street.****Will Filed for Record.**
The will of the late A. J. Elliott has been filed for record in the recorder's office.**An Ordinance.**

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR the grading of Washington avenue from Thirteenth street south to Twenty-fourth street.

Be it ordained by the council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 1. That all of that part of Washington avenue, in the city of Sedalia, Missouri, lying between the south line of Thirteenth street and the north line of Twenty-fourth street be graded as provided by the following specifications:

SPECIFICATIONS.
The grading shall be thirty feet in width, and the cross sections of street shall be at the established grade of the street at the center, and slope both ways therefrom with uniformly curved lines to eight inches below grade at the curb lines.

At the crossings of intersecting streets, the finished surface shall be at the established grade at the center of the street intersection, and slope uniformly each way along diagonal lines, from grade at the street intersection to eight inches below grade at the intersection of the curb lines.

The term "grade" as used in this ordinance shall be construed to mean the grade of said Washington avenue, between the points above named, that is indicated by the profile of grade heretofore prepared by the city engineer and filed in the office of the city clerk on the seventh day of November, 1892, and here now presented to this council, and examined, and by this ordinance made the established grade of said street between the points stated, and shall be filed in the office of the city engineer and there carefully preserved.

The finished surface shall be uniform, smooth and regular, and where a fill is made the loose dirt shall be repeatedly and thoroughly rolled with a horse road roller to be furnished by the city, but the team shall be furnished by the contractor, so that the street when finished shall be reasonably compact and solid for work of this character.

The amount of work shall be determined by the number of yards of embankment, and in case there is not material sufficient in the excavations made to form the embankments, it shall be the duty of the contractor to procure the required amount without extra charge therefor, or in case of a surplus of excavations over embankments he shall remove the same without extra charge.

SEC. 2. The city engineer shall make an estimate of the cost per cubic yard of the grading provided for by this ordinance, and file the same in the office of the city clerk, and thereafter the committee on streets and alleys shall advertise for bids for the grading of said street as provided for herein; said advertisement shall be by ten insertions in the newspaper doing the city printing in ten consecutive issues of said paper. All bids received shall be referred to the city council and the council may let the contract for said grading to the lowest and best bidder, provided that the amount bid does not exceed the engineer's estimate. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids shall state price per cubic yard for which the work is proposed to be done in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance. Each proposal or bid shall be accompanied with a certified check on some Sedalia bank for the sum of \$25 or that amount in money, which is to be forfeited and paid to the city of Sedalia in case the party to whom the contract may be awarded shall fail or refuse to enter into contract, and give bond as hereinafter required, within ten days after the award is made.

A bond of the contract price, conditioned upon the full and satisfactory completion of

the contract, and to indemnify the property owners and the city of Sedalia, from any loss or damages that may arise on account of the negligence of the contractor in the performance of the work required by this ordinance, will be required of the contractor.

Persons taking any contract with the city of Sedalia, for work under this ordinance agrees to be paid by special tax bills, made in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and the city of Sedalia shall in no manner whatever be liable for the cost of the work done according to the provisions hereof.

SEC. 3. After the completion of said work by the contractor, the city engineer shall measure and calculate the total cost of the grading herein provided for, including the squares and areas formed by the crossings of intersecting streets; and shall also ascertain the number of front feet owned by each property owner, and the proportion of the number of feet of each lot or parcel of ground fronting or abutting on the portion of the said street provided to be graded, to the whole number of feet on the portion of the street graded, under this ordinance and the contract; and shall return such calculation, in writing, to the city clerk who shall, on receipt of such calculation, and upon approval by the city council of the work done, assess for each block separately upon all lots or parcels of ground on either side of said street the distance so improved, in the name of the owner, that portion of the whole cost or sum due for such work of grading, which each lot may bear to the whole number of feet abutting on the portion of the street so graded, including all squares and areas formed by the crossings of intersecting streets.

SEC. 4. The whole amount of the cost of the grading provided for by this ordinance, including the squares and areas formed by the crossings of intersecting streets, is hereby levied and assessed as a special tax against and upon all of the abutting property on both sides of said Washington avenue between the south line of Thirteenth street in the said city, and the north line of Twenty-fourth street.

When the city clerk shall have apportioned the cost thereof among the abutting lots and parcels of ground and the owners thereof, as provided by section 3 of this ordinance, he shall issue special tax bills, duly signed by the mayor and attested by the city clerk and the seal of said city, for the cost of said grading. Said special tax bills shall refer to this ordinance in appropriate terms, recite the kind of work done and material furnished, if any, describe the lot or piece of ground upon which the tax lies, and the name of the owner thereof, the amount for which each tract of ground is liable, and the name of the contractor, and such other recitals as may be deemed necessary, and the contractor shall receive and receipt for the same in full for all claims against the said city for said work of grading.

SEC. 5. Said special tax bills, in any action thereon shall be prima facie evidence of the regularity of the proceedings for such special assessment, of the validity of the bill, of the doing of the work and furnishing of material charged for, and of the liability of the property to the charge stated in the bill, and shall be and become a prior lien on the property charged therewith, and may be collected of the owner of the property in the name of the city, to the use of the contractor, as any other claim.

All of said tax bills shall bear interest after thirty days from date of issue and presentation of same at the rate of eight per cent. annum; and every such tax bill shall

be a lien against the lot of ground described in the same until the same is paid.

SEC. 6. All ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they may be inconsistent or in conflict with this ordinance, are for the purposes of this ordinance hereby repealed. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

Passed by the council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, on the 21st day of November, 1892.

E. W. STEVENS,
President of the City Council.
Approved this 22nd day of November, 1892.
E. W. STEVENS, Mayor.
ATTEST: EDWARD HOUGH,
City Clerk.Wines and liquors, 112 Osage,
Frank Krueger.

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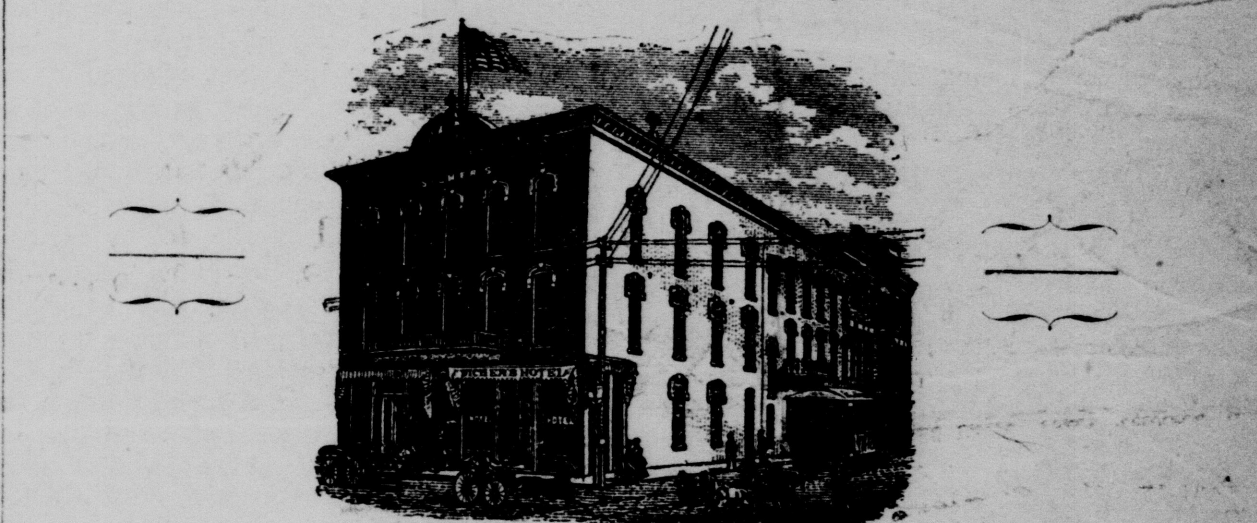
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